

Docket 51097

REMARKS

Claims 1-35 were. Claims 10 and 23-27 are pending in the application upon entry of the above amended claim set. Claims 11-26 and claims 28-35 have been cancelled.

A Restriction Requirement issued on October 11, 2007 requiring a restriction between the following Groups:

Group I: Claims 1-10, 23-27

Group II: Claims 11 and 12

Group III: Claims 13-18, 28, 29, 30, 32-35; and

Group IV: Claims 19-22 and 31.

Applicants, via their undersigned attorney, hereby elect, without traverse, Group I (*i.e.*, claims 1-10 and 23-27).

In light of the above, non-elected claims 11-22 and 28-35 have been canceled in the attached amended claim set. The Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional cases directed to claims 11-22 and 28-35 at an appropriate later date.

If there are any fees necessitated by the foregoing communication, please charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-0959 or 50-2206, referencing our Docket No. 51097.

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